

ASSAULT ATTEMPTED AT HOLIDAY HOUSE

Two Girls, Sleeping in Hammock on Veranda, Awakened by Man in Early Morning.

ROCKVILLE, Aug. 8.—The people of Sandy Spring are much aroused over an attempted attack on Amy Clark and Lillian Bowen, aged fifteen and seventeen years, respectively, of Washington, at the Girls' Friendly Holiday House, near Sandy Spring, at about 1:30 o'clock Friday morning.

The girls were asleep in hammocks on the veranda. Miss Bowen was awakened by some one touching her, and thought it was her companion. She was almost paralyzed with fear to hear a man say: "Keep quiet or I'll kill you." Miss Bowen jumped out of the hammock and ran into the house and reported the incident to Mrs. Clara R. Nourse, manager of the house. While Mrs. Nourse and others in the house were making an investigation some one presumably the same man, picked up Miss Clark, who was still asleep in the hammock, and started off with her. A struggle ensued, and the girl escaped without injury.

State's Attorney Spates and Sheriff Whalen have made an investigation. The Holiday House is under control of the Episcopal Church, and twenty-five young girls and women of Washington are enjoying its hospitality. The building is the former home of the late Admiral Jewett.

P. O. DEPARTMENT CHANGES ANNOUNCED

Promotions, Appointments, and Resignations Are Listed Among Workers of Bureau.

The following appointments, promotions and resignations in the office of the auditor for the Postoffice Department have been announced:

Promotions in the grade of operative—To \$105 per month, Helen V. Elie, Elizabeth Huddleston, to \$100 per month, Etta M. Maxwell, Mrs. N. R. Spindle; to \$95 per month, J. Louise Aud, Aura E. Boston, Irene M. White, Mrs. Margaret S. Hill, Emma R. Krichbaum, Emma L. Wilkins; to \$90 per month, Regina M. Loveless, Marion F. Butler, Mrs. Emma L. Chapin, Nellie R. Newman, Elva W. Graham, Helen R. Grogman, Ethel H. Bartlett, Grace A. Knapp; to \$85 per month, Iva Albano, Olive V. King, Katie B. Woods, Emma J. Hardesty, Anna C. Lippert, Antunisa J. Baker, Emily G. Saunders, Frances Burke, Laura M. Groves; to \$80 per month, Elizabeth A. Deebie, Isabelle P. Thorne, Mrs. Margaret C. Cameron, Mrs. Grace M. Wood, Catherine Furey, Helen M. Sheriff, Helen M. Willis; to \$75 per month, Anne M. Dungan, Eva P. Faulconer, Edith G. Albino, Anna M. Norris, Marie J. Laird.

Temporary clerks, promoted to \$900 per annum—Margaret M. Browne, Dorothy G. Sornborger, Rey Weston, Viola F. Joyner. Transfer to office of the commissioner of internal revenue—Corinne L. Quarles. Resignations—Amy C. Frost, clerk at \$1,000; Mabel Golden, temporary clerk at \$725.

Promotions—From messenger boy at \$450 to skilled laborer at \$600, John C. Brock, Earl Hartman and Clarence A. Phelps; from messenger boy, \$420 to \$480, Morrison Barr, Clifton A. Alheit and Ernest M. Rowley Jr.; from messenger boy, \$350 to \$420, Schley Hermann, Howard E. America and Thomas M. Wilkins.

Probational appointments as messenger boys at \$350—Landreville Ledoux and Charles J. Ray. Temporary appointment as messenger boy at \$350—Christopher S. Tenley. Resignations—Ernest R. Loehr, temporary clerk at \$900; Katie E. Meesserschmidt, temporary clerk at \$720; Mary B. Postles, operative at \$75 per month.

Washingtonians Honored By Sons of Confederates

Gen. William C. Gorgas, U. S. A.; Claude N. Bennett, Wallace Streater, the Rev. Andrew R. Bird, and other Washingtonians are honored in appointments of officers of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, according to a communication received by Commandant Charles H. Keel, of Washington Camp, No. 36, from the headquarters of the order at Memphis, Tenn., today.

General Gorgas is appointed assistant surgeon-in-chief; Wallace Streater, as member of the executive committee on historical research; the Rev. Mr. Bird, as assistant chaplain-in-chief; Mr. Bennett, as assistant judge advocate general-in-chief; J. Roy Price, as assistant adjutant-in-chief; W. Everett Brockman, as member of the executive relief committee; Frank R. Fravel, as member of the executive monument committee; and James Hunter Rouse, as assistant quartermaster-in-chief. These appointments are all to the staff of the general organization.

Announcement is also made in the communication of the appointment of Commandant Charles H. Keel to command of the District of Columbia Division, Sons of Confederate Veterans.

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May Change Hours of Mixed Bathing Time

Officials of the Municipal Bathing Beach are considering a rearrangement of the Saturday "mixed bathing" schedule, to permit of three bathing periods, instead of two, in order to accommodate the crowds making use of the pools on the Government summer half-holiday.

Hundreds of bathers were turned away yesterday, and those who obtained admission found the pools crowded to capacity, and every locker already occupied.

Baptists Will Meet.

The Ketchikan Association of old school or Primitive Baptists, will hold their 100th annual session Friday, Saturday, and Sunday in Pythian Temple. There will be sermons each morning and afternoon.

American Liner Sails With 670 Passengers

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The American liner St. Louis sailed for Liverpool, carrying a passenger list of 670. Every berth but one was filled.

Among the passengers were Mrs. Claude Graham White, wife of the famous aviator; and the Duchess of Manchester, daughter of the late Eugene Zimmerman, of Cincinnati.

Retail Merchants Will Visit Militia in Camp

President R. F. Andrews, of the Retail Merchants' Association, will name a committee this week to visit the camp of the District National Guard, at Colonial Beach, during the encampment which begins August 16.

This visit will be the result of an invitation extended by Gen. W. E. Harvey, commanding the Guard. In writing to the trade body, General Harvey declared that the militia is one of the representative organizations of the District, and that he is anxious that the business men of the city gain some insight into its work.

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Lighted Candle Near Benzine; Good Night!

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—Six persons were injured and \$2,000 damage done because Christian Haury accepted a neighbor's advice and tried to drive a lighted candle out of his cellar by sprinkling the walls with two gallons of benzine.

Haury set off the benzine fumes when he entered the cellar with a lighted candle to see how the scheme worked.

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150 Pairs Boys' and Youths' Patent Calfskin, Gun Metal Calfskin, and Russia Calfskin Oxfords. Sizes 1 to 5 1/2. \$2.50 and \$3.00 values.	425 Pairs Misses' Patent Calfskin, Gun Metal and Russia Calfskin, Mary Jane Ankle Strap Pumps, Colonials, and Oxfords. \$2.25 and \$2.50 grades.	175 Pairs Misses' and Children's Patent Leather and Tan Lotus Calfskin Mary Jane Slippers. Good oak tanned soles, also white canvas play oxfords with elk soles; \$1.25 and \$1.50 values.	Misses' and Children's Red Riding Hood Pla-Shu, in oxford ties and strap effect, patent leather, gun metal and Russia calfskin. No tacks or nails to hurt the tender, growing feet.	210 Pairs Misses' and Children's White Canvas Oxfords, Ankle Strap, and Mary Jane Effects. Turn soles and Goodyear welt soles. Choice Sea Island Duck quality.
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